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PUBLIC NOTICE

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Pursuant to the Federal Clean Water Act Section 303(e), the State of Nevada has updated its Continuing Planning Process (CPP) document. The CPP directs the development and implementation of a water quality program and serves as an informational document for the state, local and regional governments, the public and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. The CPP is a compendium of procedures for planning and implementing water quality management programs, and is a guidance document for matters of process related to the protection of the physical, chemical and biological integrity of the waters of the state.

The State of Nevada adopted a CPP in March 1973 with subsequent revisions in May 1976, July 1977, July 1984, November 1985, and December 2002, the current final (http://ndep.nv.gov/bwqp/f cpp02.pdf). The latest February 2004 draft revision expands the ANTIDEGRADATION section of Chapter 3 with a subtopic *Use of RMHQs in 303(d) Listings* see DRAFT modified Chap. 3. This revision language for updating the 2002 CPP is available for review at the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Water Quality Planning, 333 W. Nye Lane, Room #105, Carson City and in Las Vegas at the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection, 1771 E. Flamingo Road, Suite 121A. Copies can also be obtained by contacting the Bureau of Water Quality Planning at the address given below or from NDEP's website. Written public comments or questions should be submitted by 5:00 pm Monday, July 12, 2004. Questions or comments should be directed to:

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